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6 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
7 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

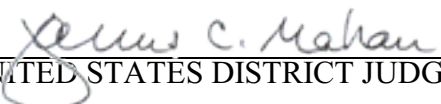
8 DONALD MITCHELL, )  
9 Petitioner, ) 2:11-cv-01686-JCM-PAL  
10 vs. ) **ORDER**  
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12 BRIAN WILLIAMS, *et al.*, )  
13 Respondents. )  
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15 Respondents have filed a motion for extension of time to file a responsive pleading to  
16 the petition for a writ of habeas corpus (ECF #8). Good cause appearing, respondents' motion is  
17 granted. Respondents are further directed to file their response to petitioner's motion for reconsideration  
18 of the order denying appointment of counsel, if any, within fourteen (14) days of the date of entry of this  
19 order.

20 **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that respondents' motion for extension of time (ECF  
21 #8) is **GRANTED**. Respondents shall have up to and including January 30, 2012 , to file a responsive  
22 pleading to the petition for a writ of habeas corpus.

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2 motion for reconsideration of the order denying appointment of counsel, if any, within fourteen (14) days  
3 of the date of entry of this order.

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6                   DATED this 23rd day of December, 2011.

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9                   UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE